

DESCRIPTION OF A NEW SPECIES OF *STROPHOCHEILUS*
(*BORUS*) FROM PERU.

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STROPHOCHEILUS (*BORUS*) *INDIGENS*, n.sp.

Shell ovate-oblong, yellowish-brown, moderately solid; spire about 13 mm. longer than the aperture; whorls $6\frac{1}{2}$, apex smooth, the second and third whorls with prominent oblique plications, last two volutions polished and apparently smooth, but under the lens are seen to be



Reduced about $\frac{1}{3}$.

finely granulated, the granulation being strong on the middle whorls, and gradually becoming weaker towards the aperture, the lower whorls have also some irregular and almost obsolete plications; aperture sub-oval, whitish within; peristome thickened and very slightly expanded, white, margins joined by a moderately thickened white callus. Alt. 110, diam. maj. 47 mm.

Hab.—Peru.

The nearest species to this is *S. (Borus) huascari*, Tschudi, which is broader, has a wider aperture, a rougher and duller surface, and its apical plications are much finer and closer together than in *indigens*.